



# Kickstart 2012

## **Day 1**

Intro and Basics

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# Welcome ☺

- Who are we?

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# What is Computer Science?

- Problem Solving
- Building things
- CS is everywhere
  - Internet
  - Phone/Web Applications
  - Vehicles
  - Genetics
  - And more!



# What is Computer Science? (cont)

- Programming
  - Art and science of constructing artifacts that perform computations
  - Programming languages

# What is Kickstart?

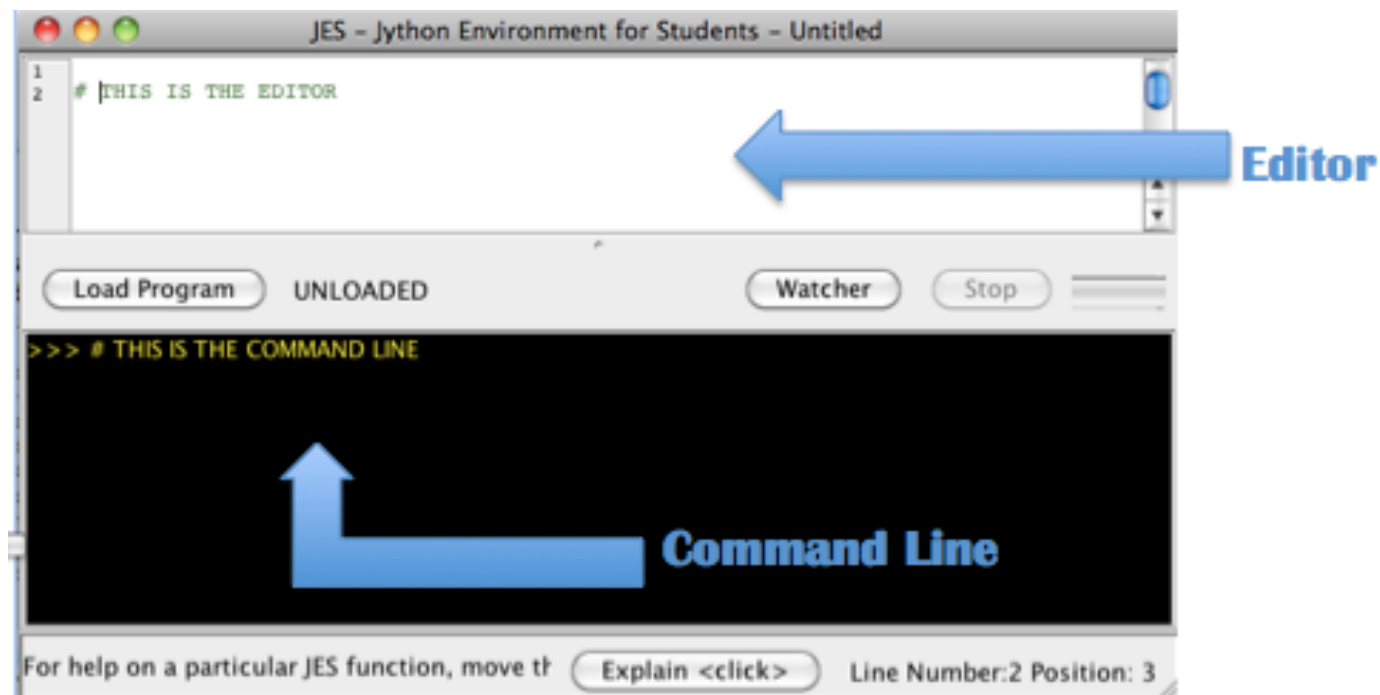
- Not 1's and 0's
- Implementing programs
- Producing a tangible result!
  - **PICTURES**
- An Intro to Jython

# Programming Languages

- Communication with computers
- Different encodings of instructions for machines
- The language we are using: Jython
  - Jython is Python!
  - *Java-based Python*
- Ice Breaker – Partner in common (talent)
- Logins!

# Environment - JES

- ◉ **J**ython **E**nvironment for **S**tudents
- ◉ Programming area: the editor, writing programs
- ◉ Command area: Entering commands



# Meet Jython - Data

**Data:** stuff we manipulate

- integers: 2 -1 13
- strings: "hello world"
- booleans: true, false
- lists [1, 2, 3]
- More later

```
>>> 2
```

```
2
```

```
>>> "hello world"
```

```
'hello world'
```



# Meet Jython - Functions

**Functions:** rules for manipulate data

- Primitive expressions: `+, -, *, /, ...`
- Built-in functions: `sum, abs, ...`
- Self-defined function: `def square(x): ...`

**Can take any number of arguments**

# Meet Jython - Expressions

## Expressions

- Combining functions with data
- Jython evaluates these expressions for you

```
>>> 2+3
```

```
?
```

```
>>> sum(2, 3)
```

```
?
```

```
>>> abs(-2)
```

```
?
```

```
>>> print('hello world')
```

```
?
```

# Calling functions

- ◉ **Remember**

- ◉ Functions: rules for manipulating data
- ◉ Can take any number of arguments

```
>>> x = sum(4, 3)
```

```
>>> y = abs(-9)
```

```
>>> max(x, y)
```

```
9
```

```
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## **Nesting**

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9
```

```
>>> max( sum(4, 3) , abs(-9) )
```

```
?
```

# Meet Jython - Numbers

`+, -, *, /, %, >, >=, ==, !=, <, <=`

```
>>> 2 + 3
```

```
5
```

```
>>> (5 * 8) + 2
```

```
42
```

```
>>> 40 / 5
```

```
8.0
```

```
>>> 11 % 3
```

```
2
```

```
>>> 4 > 3
```

```
True
```

```
>>> 6 <= 5
```

```
False
```

```
>>> 6 == (3+3)
```

```
True
```

```
>>> 6 != 5
```

```
True
```

# Meet Jython – Logic

**Booleans:** True, False

**Logical operators:** and, or, not, >, >= ...

**and**

```
>>> (4 > 3) and (4 < 5)
```

```
True
```

```
>>> True and False
```

```
False
```

```
>>> True and True
```

```
True
```

**or**

```
>>> (4 > 3) or (4 > 5)
```

```
False
```

```
>>> False or False
```

```
False
```

```
>>> True or False
```

```
True
```

# Meet Jython - Assignment

## **Variables**

Name our data and functions for use later

```
>>> x = 3
```

```
>>> print x + 1
```

```
4
```



# Meet Jython - Strings

## Indexing + concatenation

```
>>> "hi " + "stephanie"
```

```
??
```

```
>>> print("hello, world")
```

```
??
```

```
>>> name = "stephanie"
```

```
>>> name[0]
```

```
??
```

# Meet Jython - Lists

## Indexing & concatenation

```
>>> [1, 2, 3, 4]
```

```
?
```

```
>>> [1, 2] + [3, 4]
```

```
?
```

```
>>> alphabet = ['a', 'b', 'c']
```

```
>>> alphabet[2]
```

```
??
```

# Administrivia

- Website: [inst.eecs.berkeley.edu/~cs98-tr](http://inst.eecs.berkeley.edu/~cs98-tr)
- Lab Structure
  - Lecture
  - Interactive practice - labs
  - Projects
- Send us your pictures daily!

# Try it yourself

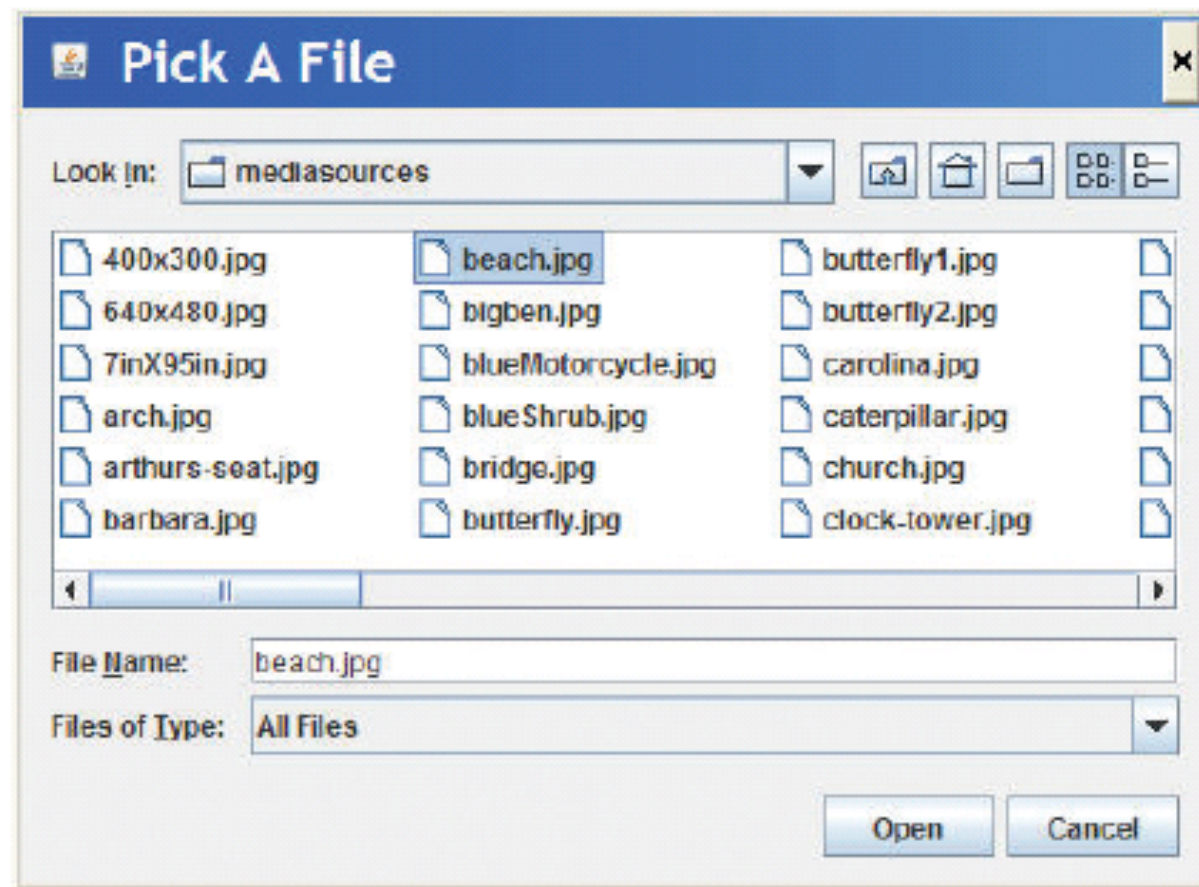
- Lab Exercise 0 & 1

# Pictures

# Picture Functions

- pickAFile()
  - Allows the user to pick a file
  - Takes no argument!

pickAFile() leads to... The File Picker! - UI



# Picture Functions

- pickAFile()
- makePicture(filename)
  - creates and returns a picture object
- show(picture)
  - displays a picture in a window



# Showing a picture

- Steps

1. Choose a file
2. Make it into a “picture”
3. Show the picture

```
myFile = pickAFile()  
pic = makePicture(myFile)  
show(pic)
```

## **Alt: Nesting**

```
show(makePicture(pickAFile()))
```

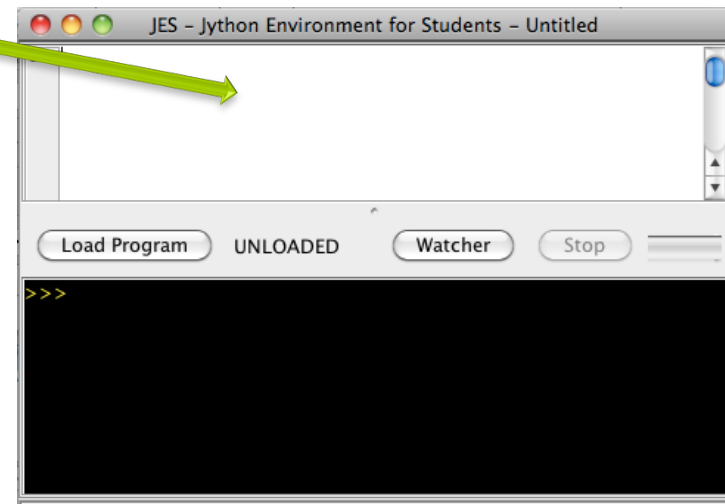


**DEMO**

# Defining our own functions

```
def <name>(<arguments names>):  
    return <expression>
```

- Functions:
  - function name
  - input values
  - Body



# Defining our own functions

## Structure of a function

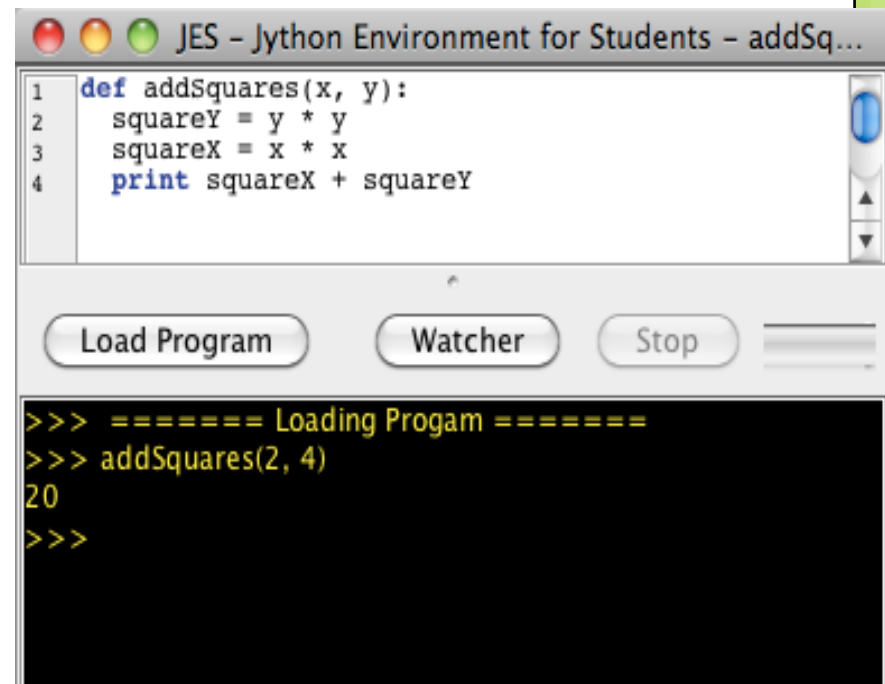
- o **def**
- o function name
- o input values between parentheses
- o colon
- o **body** (indentation matters = 2 spaces)

```
def addSquares(x, y):  
    squareX = x*x  
    squareY = y*y  
    return squareX + squareY
```

**Nesting?**

## Blocking is indicated for you in JES

- Statements with same indentation = same block
- same block is enclosed in a blue box
- **DEMO**



```
1 def addSquares(x, y):
2     squareY = y * y
3     squareX = x * x
4     print squareX + squareY
```

Load Program    Watcher    Stop

```
>>> ===== Loading Program =====
>>> addSquares(2, 4)
20
>>>
```

# Try it yourself

- Lab Exercise 2 & 3
- (~15-20 minutes)

# Day 1 Part 2

- Lab Part 2

# Pictures

- An encoding that represents an image
  - height and width
  - filename
  - Containing *window* if it's opened

```
>>> pic = makePicture(myFile)
```

```
>>> print pic
```

```
Picture, filename /Users/guzdial/mediasources/  
barbara.jpg height 294 width 222
```



# Pixels

- Pictures are a bunch of little dots = pixel
  - color
  - Location (graph like format)

## Methods

*getPixel(picture,x,y)* - retrieves a single pixel: more later

*getPixels(picture)* - gets *all* of them in a list

## Example

```
>>> pixels=getPixels(pic)
```

```
>>> print pixels[0]
```

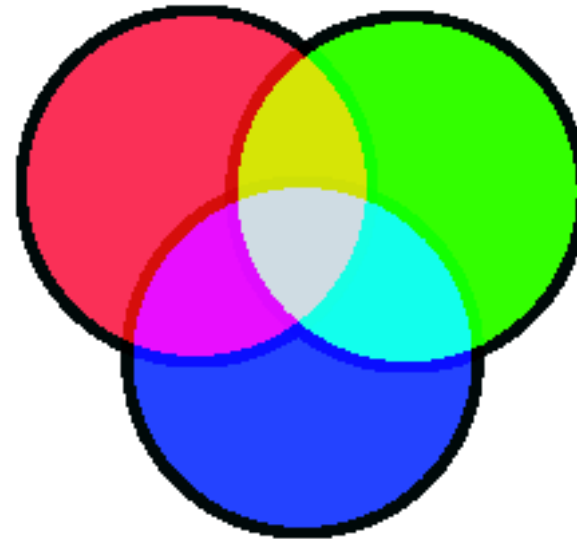
```
Pixel, color=color r=168 g=131 b=105
```






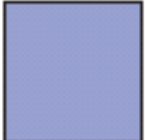


# Colors: RGB

- In RGB, each color has three component colors:

- Redness
- Greenness
- Blueness

- 0-255



	0	1	2	3
0	 255, 30, 30	 30, 30, 255	 30, 255, 30	 0, 0, 0
1	 255, 150, 150	 150, 150, 255	 150, 255, 150	 200, 200, 200

# Pixel Methods

## GETTERS

- **Pixels**
  - `getRed(px)`    `getBlue(px)`    `getGreen(px)`
- **Colors**
  - `getColor(px)`

## SETTERS

- **Pixels**
  - `setRed(px, val)`    `setBlue(px, val)`    ...
- **Color**
  - `setColor(px, col)`

# We can change pixels directly...

```
>>> pict=makePicture(file)
```

```
>>> pix = getPixel(pict, 10, 100)
```

```
>>> setColor(pix, yellow)
```

```
>>> repaint(pict)
```

**But that's *really* dull and boring to change each pixel at a time...  
Isn't there a better way?**



How to change the entire picture!

# decreaseRed()

`def decreaseRed(picture):`

**decreases the red in all the pixels of a picture**



# Decreasing the red in a picture

- ◉ **Recipe:** To decrease the red
- ◉ **Ingredients:** One picture, name it **pict**
- ◉ **Step 1:** Get all the pixels of **pict**. For each pixel **p** in the set of pixels...
- ◉ **Step 2:** Get the value of the red of pixel **p**, and set it to 50% of its original value

How to change the entire picture!

# For loops!

```
def decreaseRed(picture):  
    for each pixel in the picture  
        get the red value of that pixel  
        set the red value of that pixel to half the original
```



# For loops

```
def decreaseRed(pict):  
    allPixels = getPixels(pict)
```

```
    for pix in allPixels:  
        value = getRed(pix)  
        setRed(pix, value * 0.5)
```

**The for loop**



**The body**



**- Note the indentation!**